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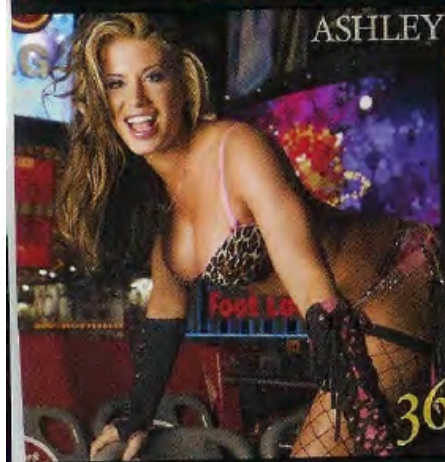
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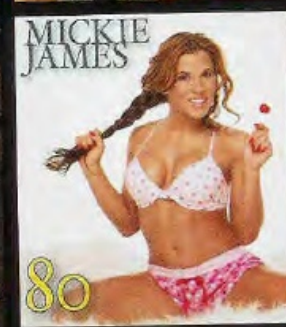
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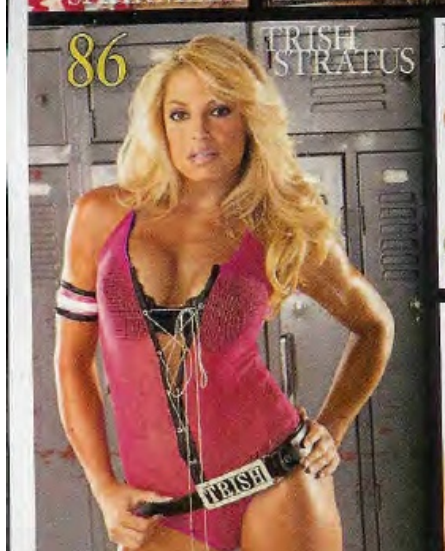
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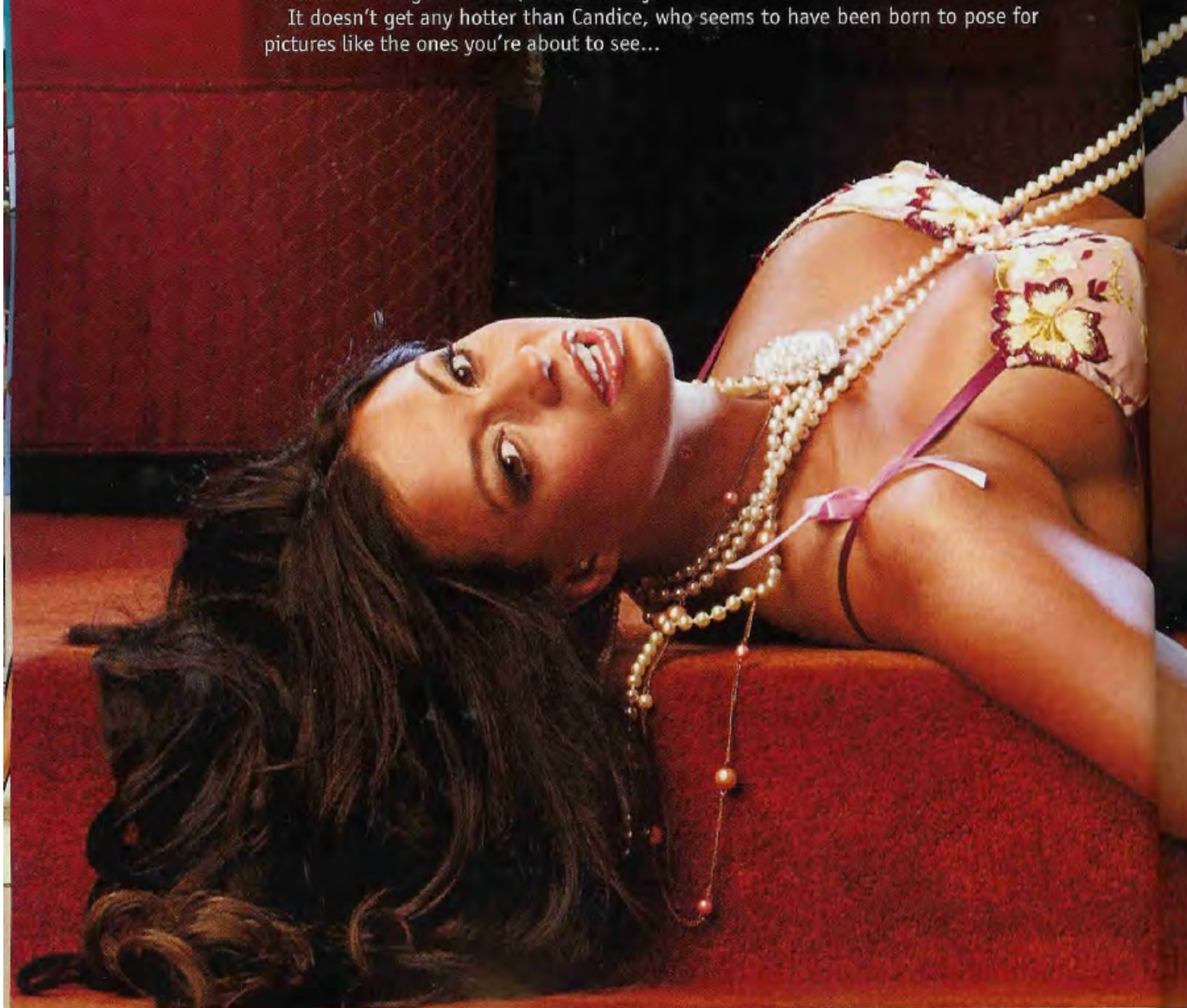
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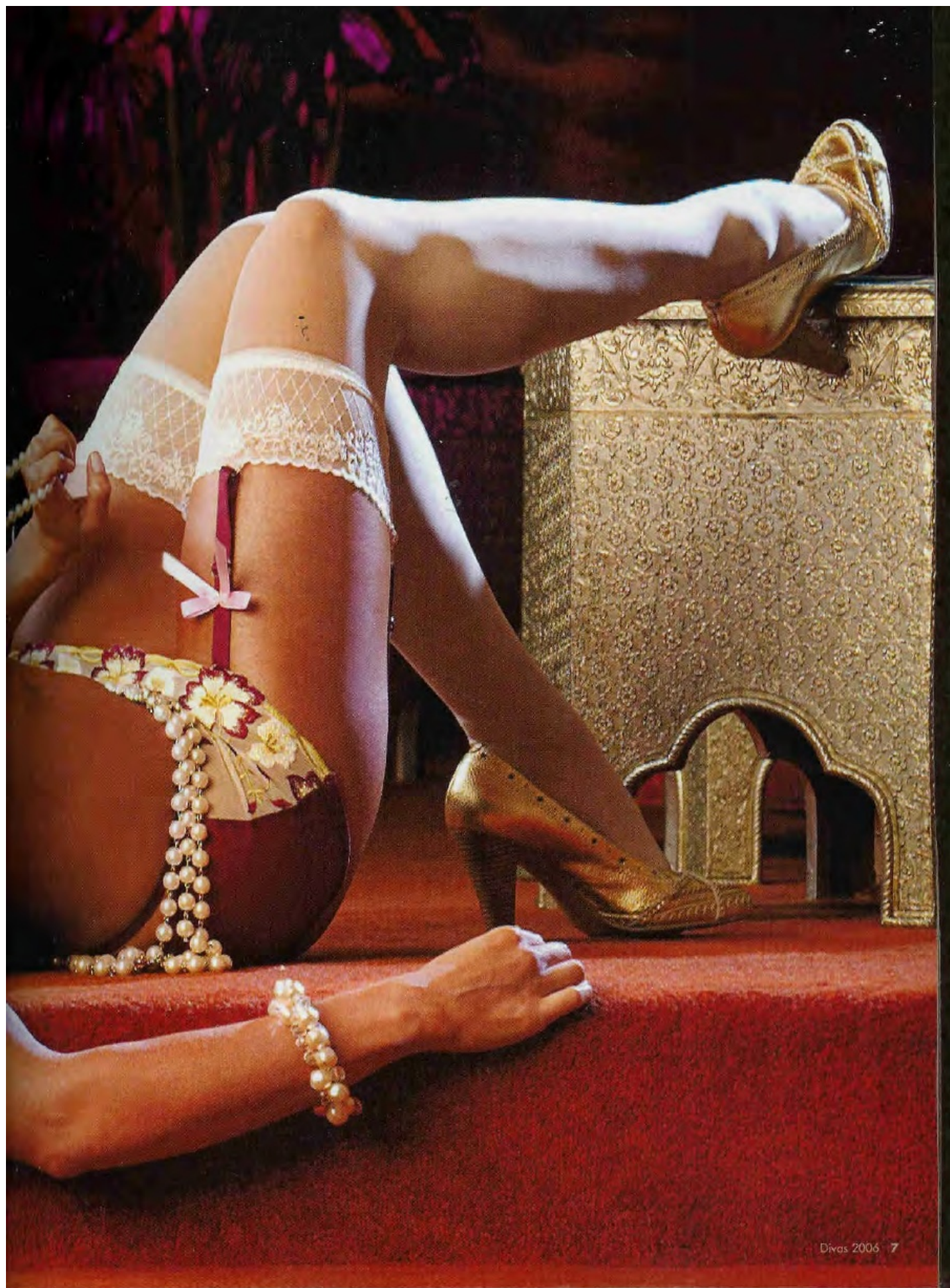
CANDICE MICHELLE

When one sees Candice Michelle, what can one say but...“Damn.” The word “sultry” was created for women like her, and she certainly isn’t afraid to flaunt what she’s got—a fact for which male WWE fans everywhere are eternally grateful. In fact, she had no problem at all taking to the streets of Manhattan and proving that even jaded New Yorkers will look twice if given the proper incentive.

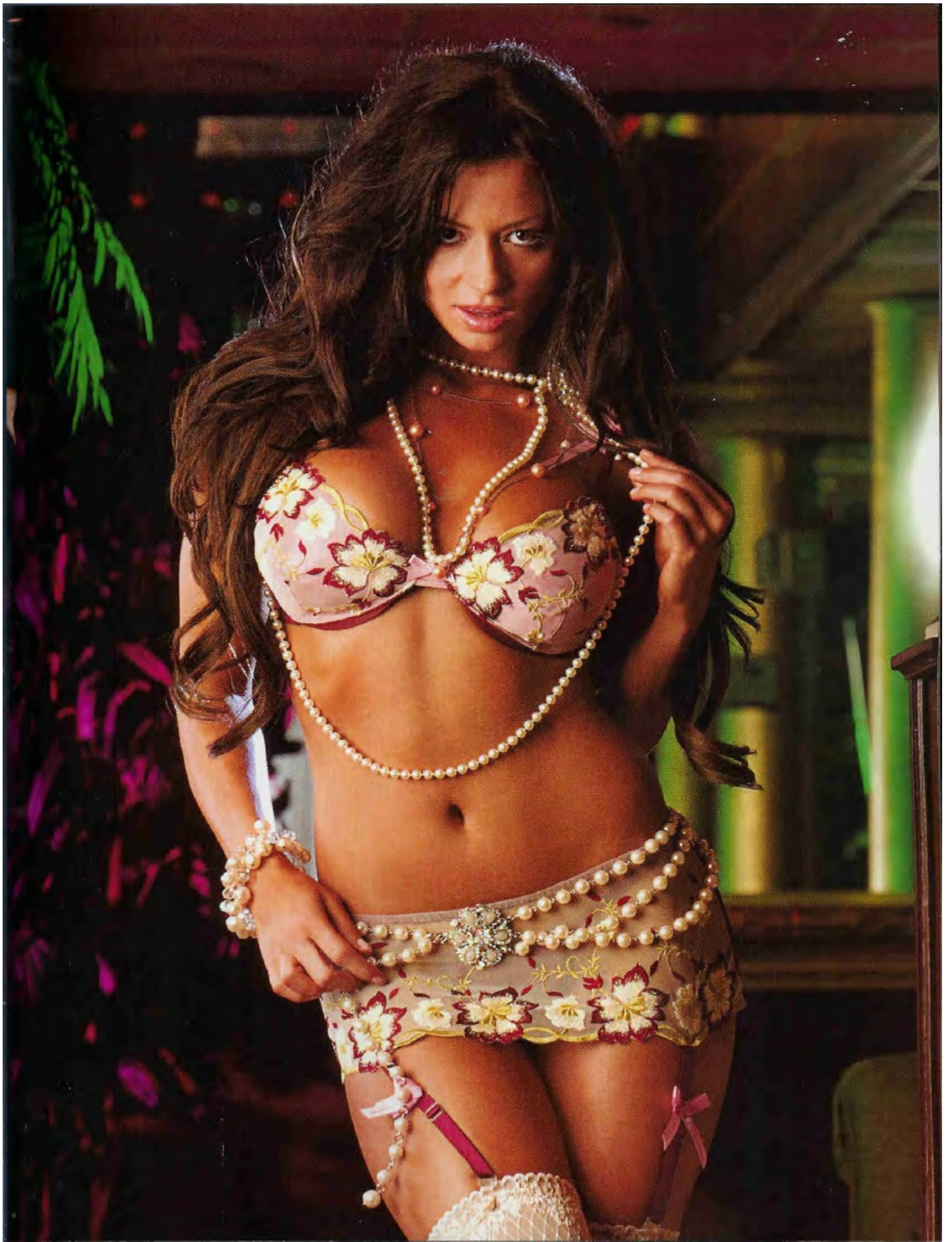
Super Bowl XXXIX thrust her into the national spotlight thanks to that infamous GoDaddy.com commercial. That notoriety will be taken even further once she graces the cover of *Playboy* this spring in what would have to be one of the most coveted issues in the magazine’s illustrious history.

It doesn’t get any hotter than Candice, who seems to have been born to pose for pictures like the ones you’re about to see...







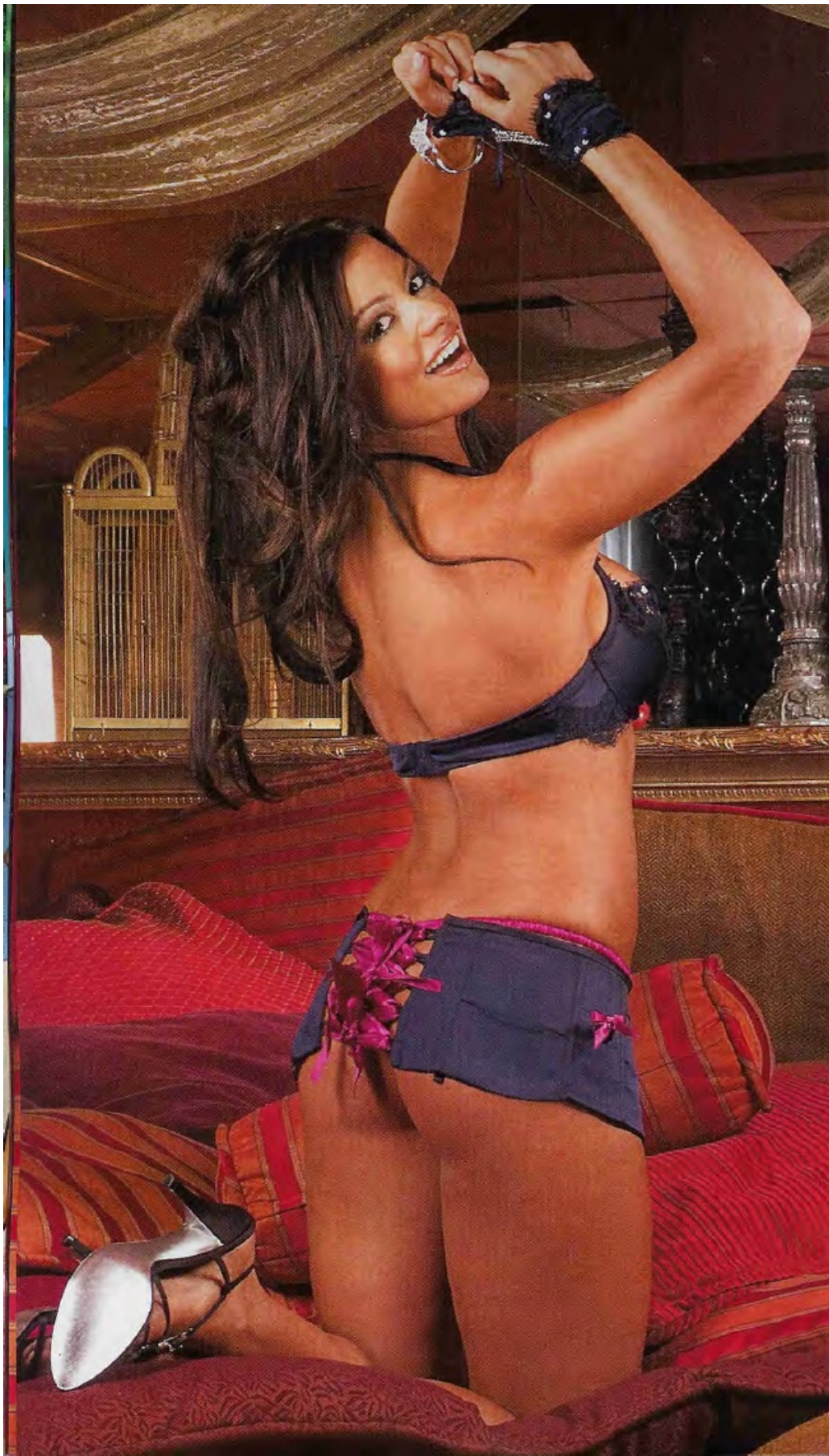


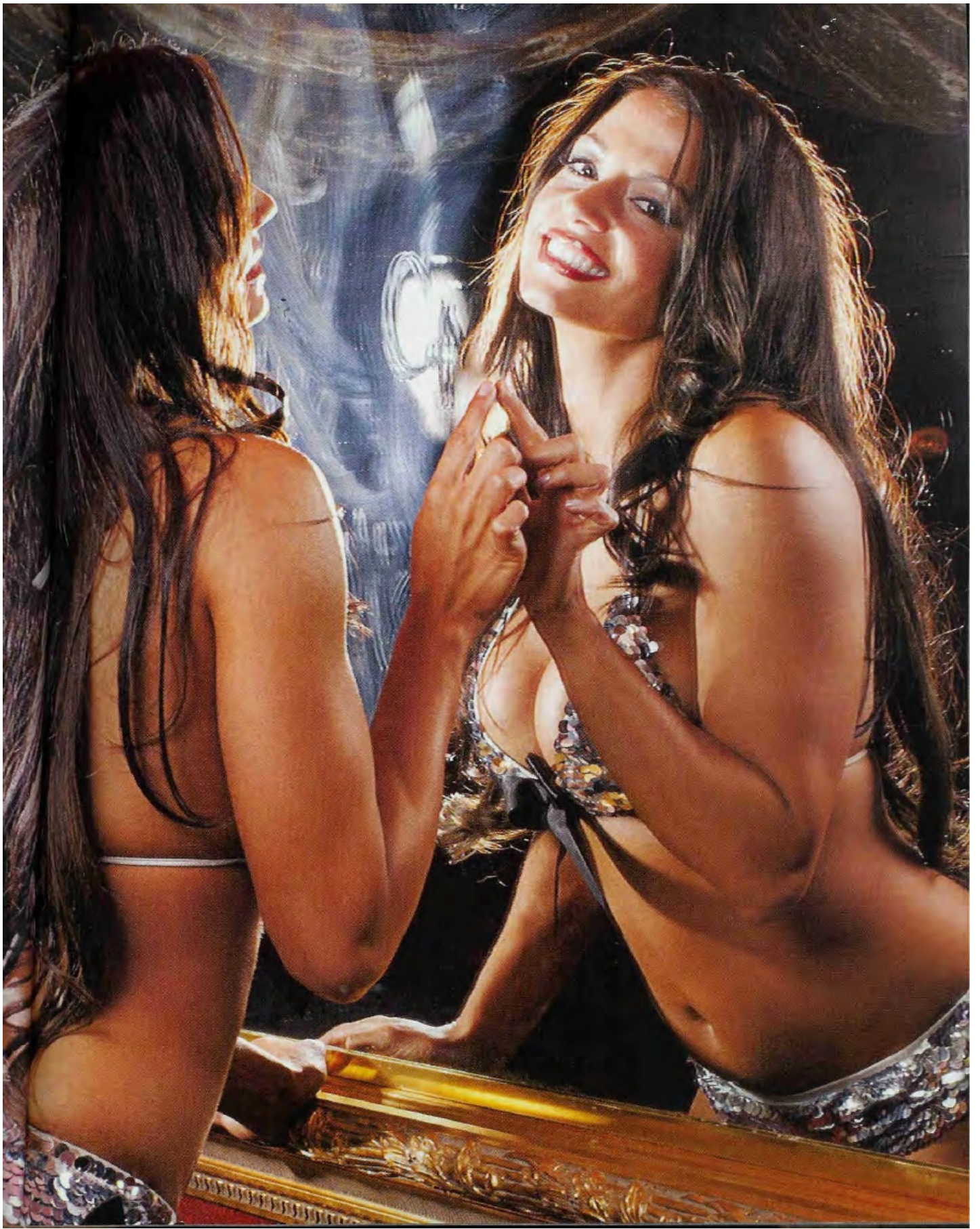


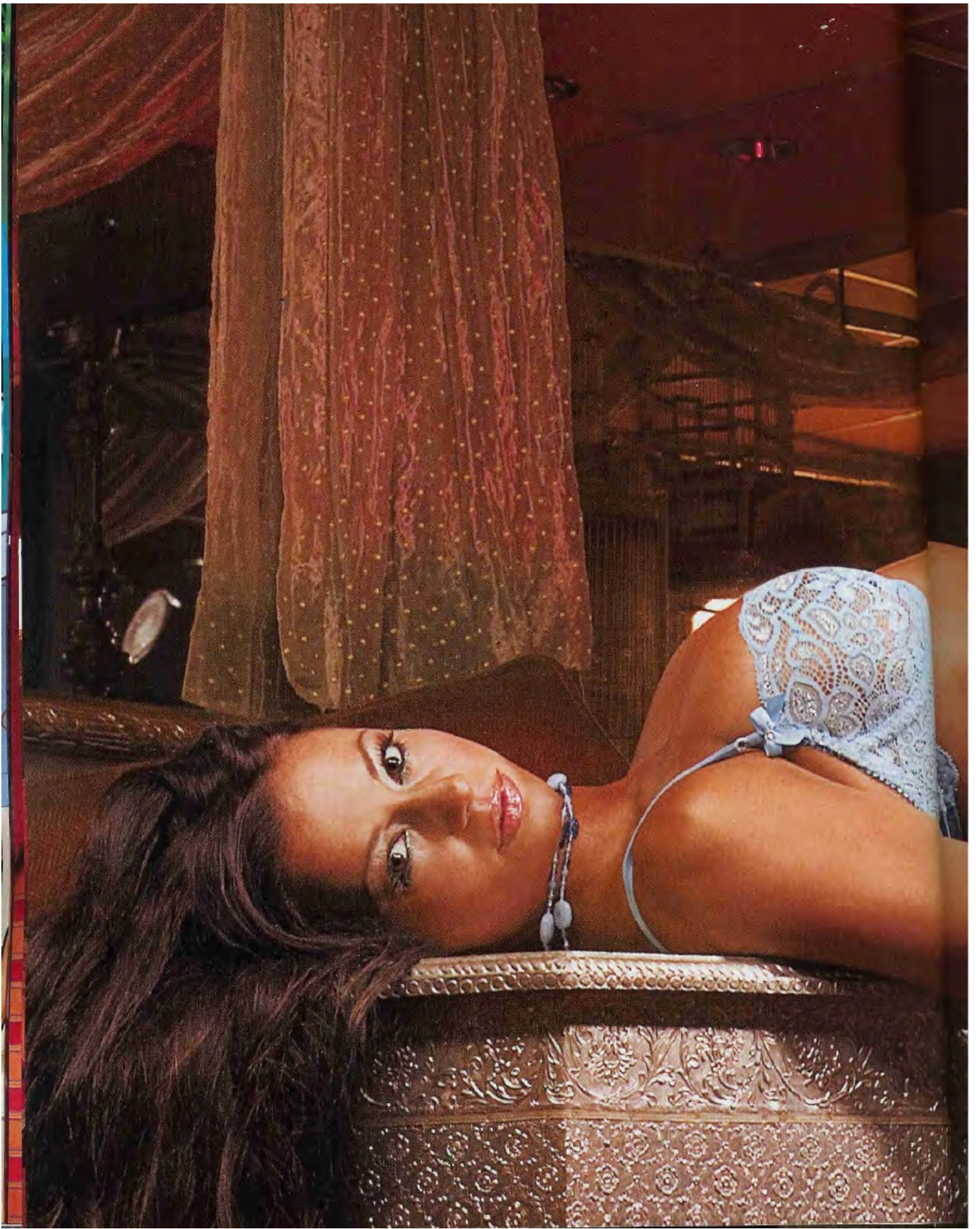


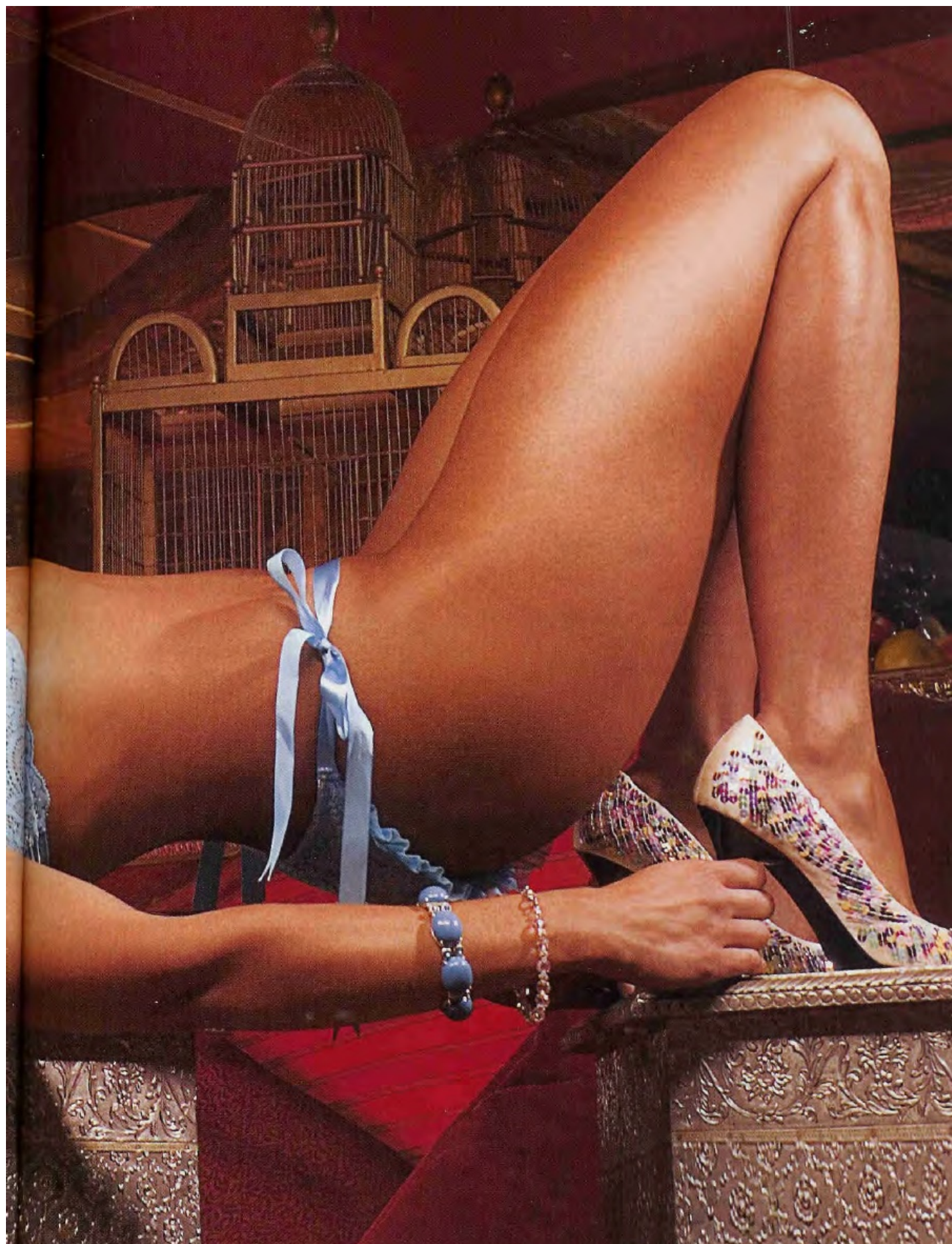










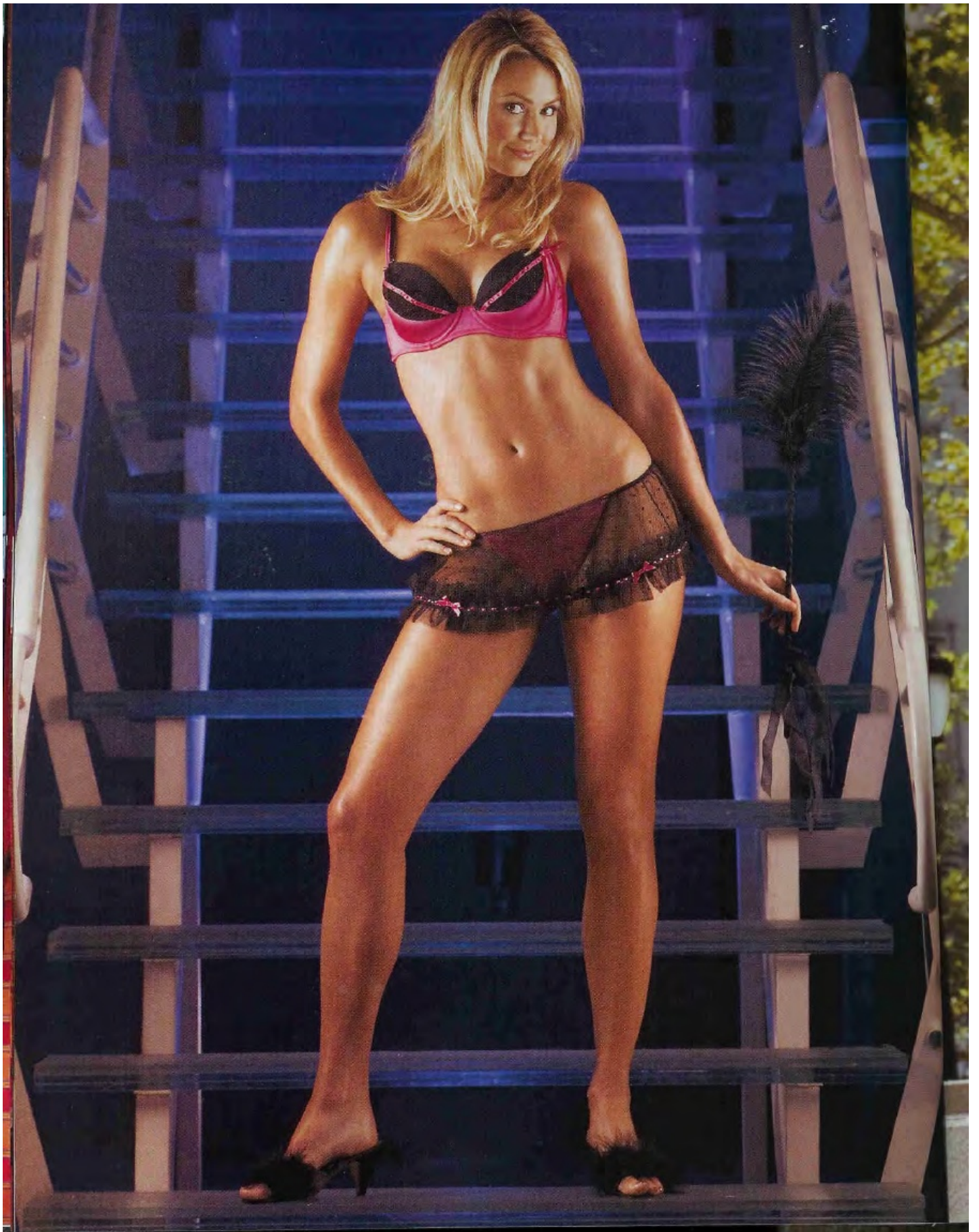


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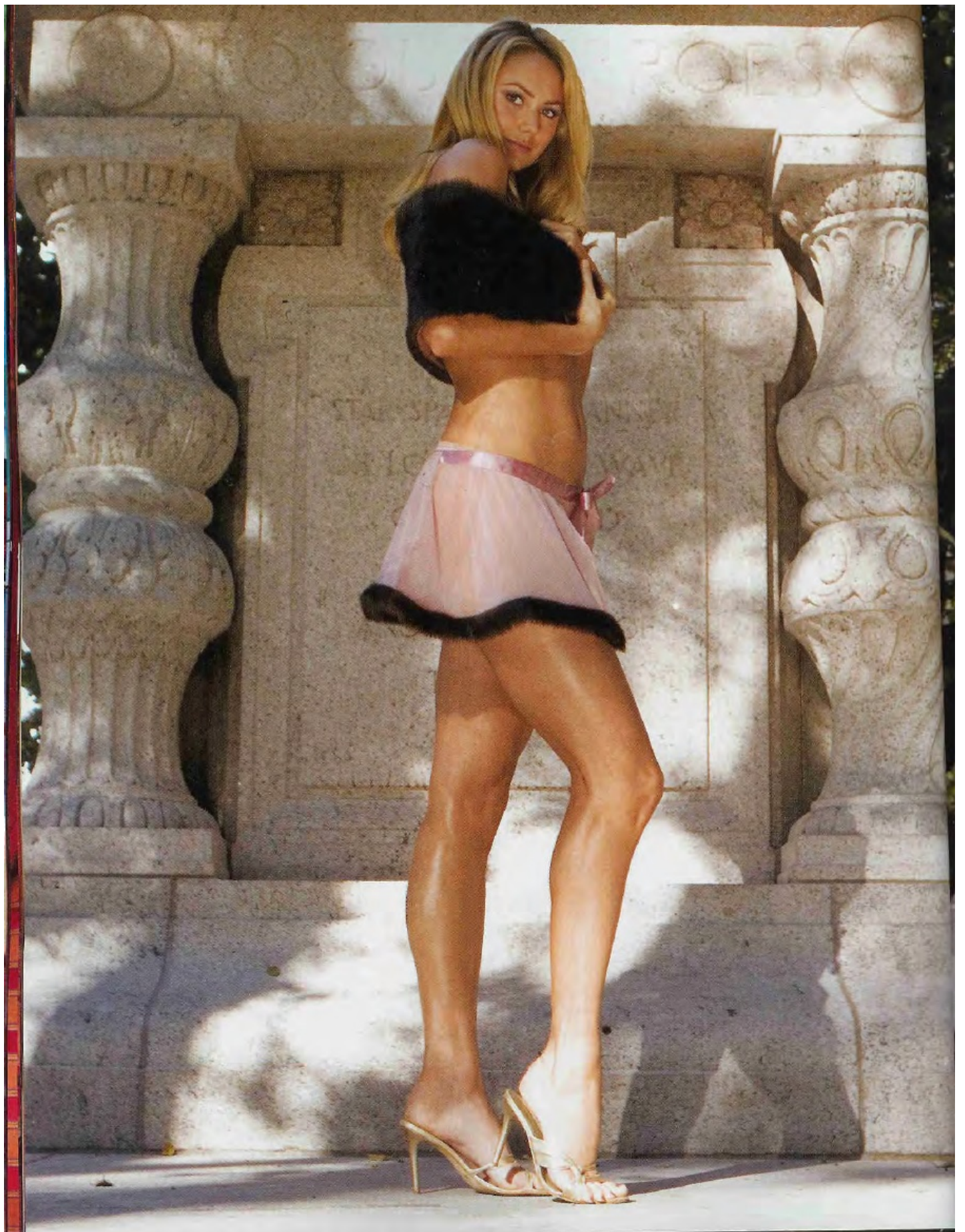
Like two gorgeous skyscrapers reaching heavenward, Stacy Keibler's world-famous legs have been getting attention for years. And what better place to show them off than in the city that never sleeps? Ms. Keibler was turning heads in Madison Square Park, in the shadow of New York's Flatiron Building. Leave it to WWE's leggiest Diva to bring the bustling metropolis to a grinding halt.

It's nothing new for Stacy, who has been one of WWE's premier Divas since 2001. She's been featured in *Stuff* magazine, and was most recently seen on the popular TV series *Dancing with the Stars*. She was also reputed to have come out the victor in a love triangle also involving Jennifer Aniston—and going by these pictures, was there really any choice?















MELINA

At New York's Grand Central Station, people never stop moving. But when Melina walks through the station, all traffic stops to a halt. When this sultry Diva strolls past, catching the 5 o'clock back to Bedford Hills doesn't seem so important anymore. Of course, who can blame them? Even in WWE, Melina has a knack for distracting people. As the manager of MNM, Melina always draws stares with her eye-popping ring entrance. Her presence at ringside has helped Johnny Nitro and Joey Mercury capture the tag team titles and become one of *SmackDown's* most dominant duos. Of course, she's also proven that she can handle herself when she needs to, getting into the ring herself and dishing out more than her fair share. It looks like a lot of people at Grand Central are going to miss their trains. Not that they're complaining!

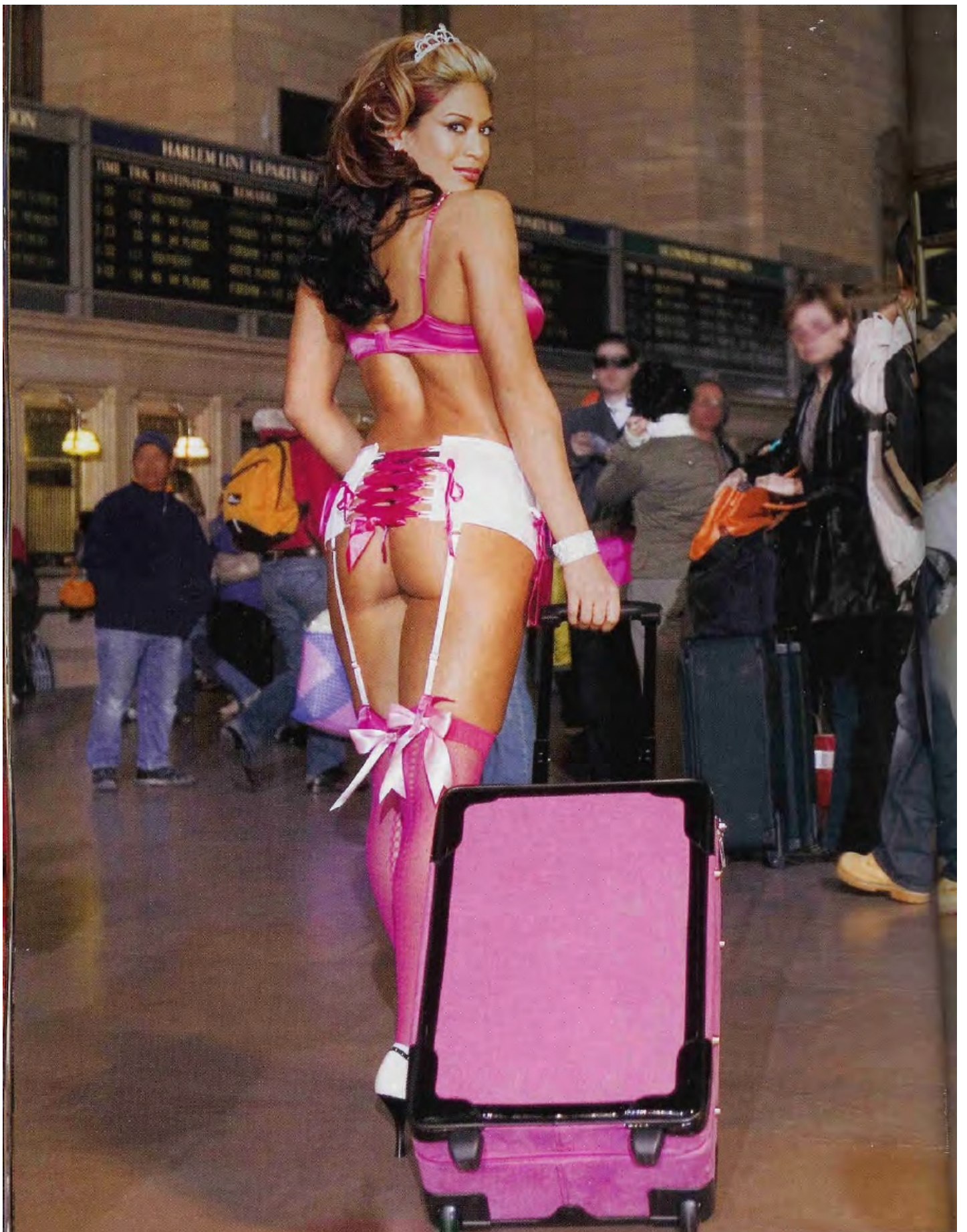


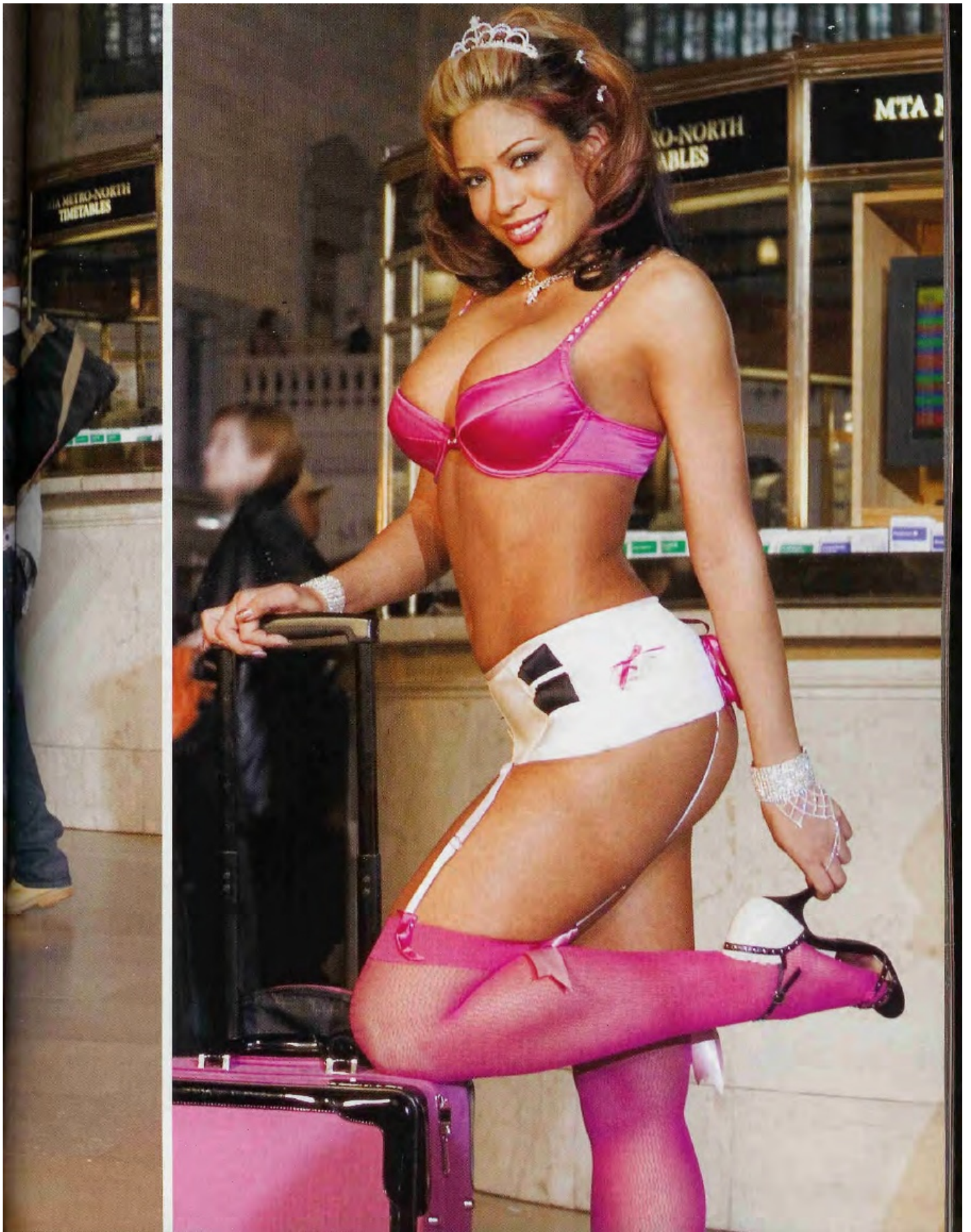
















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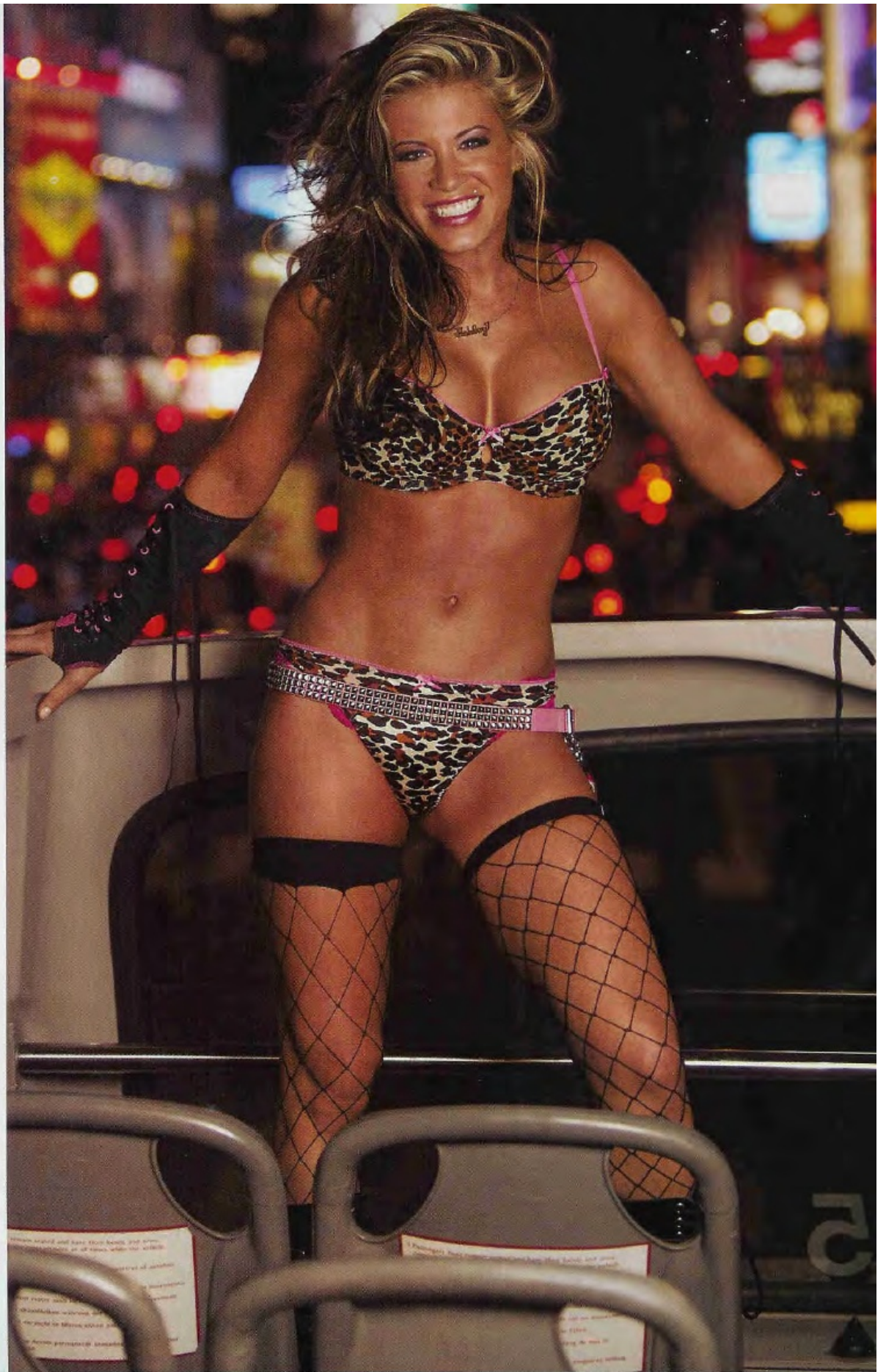
In recent years, both Central Park and Times Square were the subjects of dramatic, extensive beautification projects by the City of New York. Leave it to WWE to help the city out with a little "beautification project" of our own. We brought Ashley to both these locations, and in our own humble opinion, they've never looked better.

In 2005, Ashley took *Raw* by storm when she won the Diva Search contest, and earned the right to take her place among the finest females sports-entertainment has to offer, the Divas of WWE. And in the time since the contest, she has more than come into her own. Judging by her pictorial, fans definitely made the right choice by voting for her. Not only is she the winner, but thanks to these pictures, we're all winners.







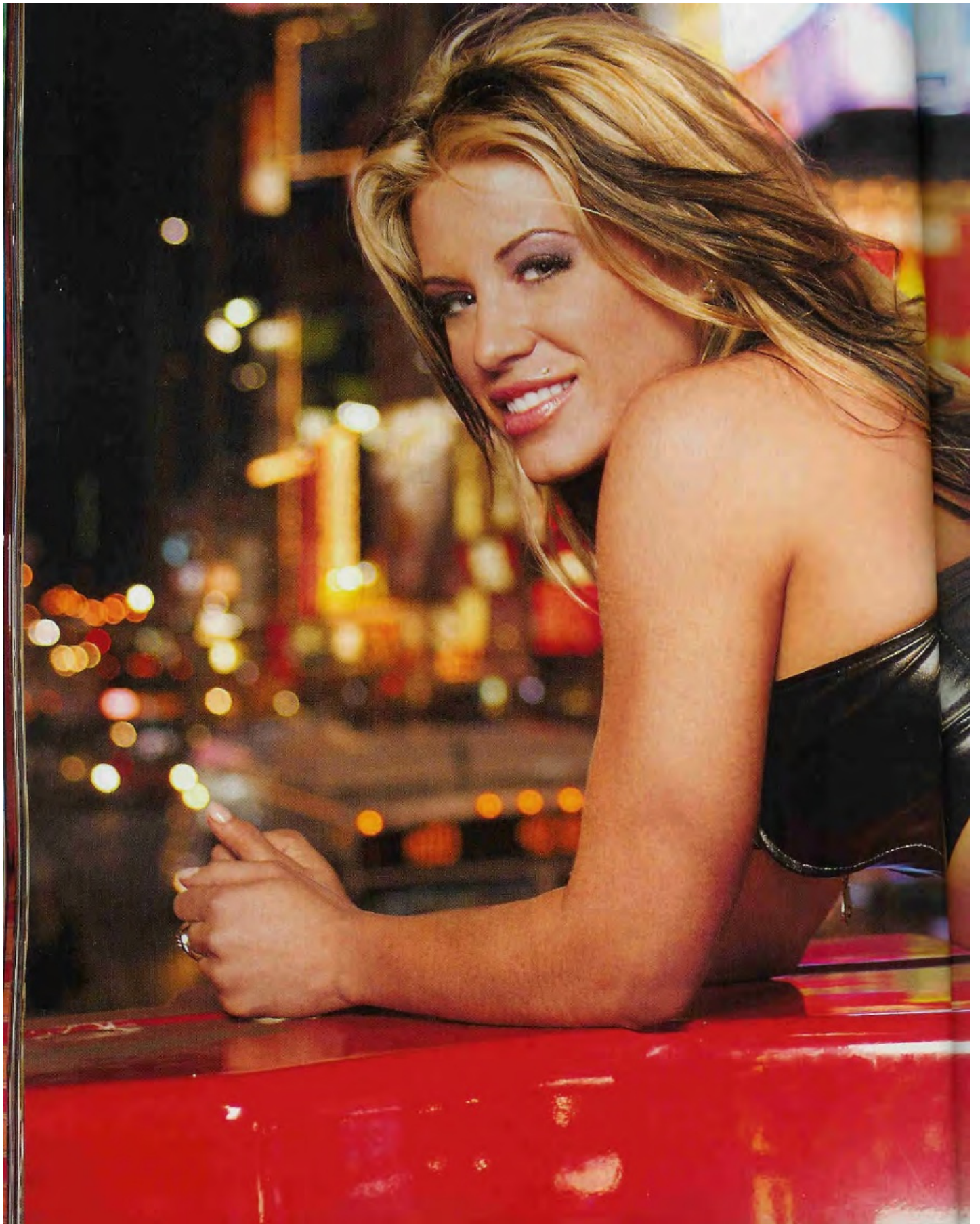




















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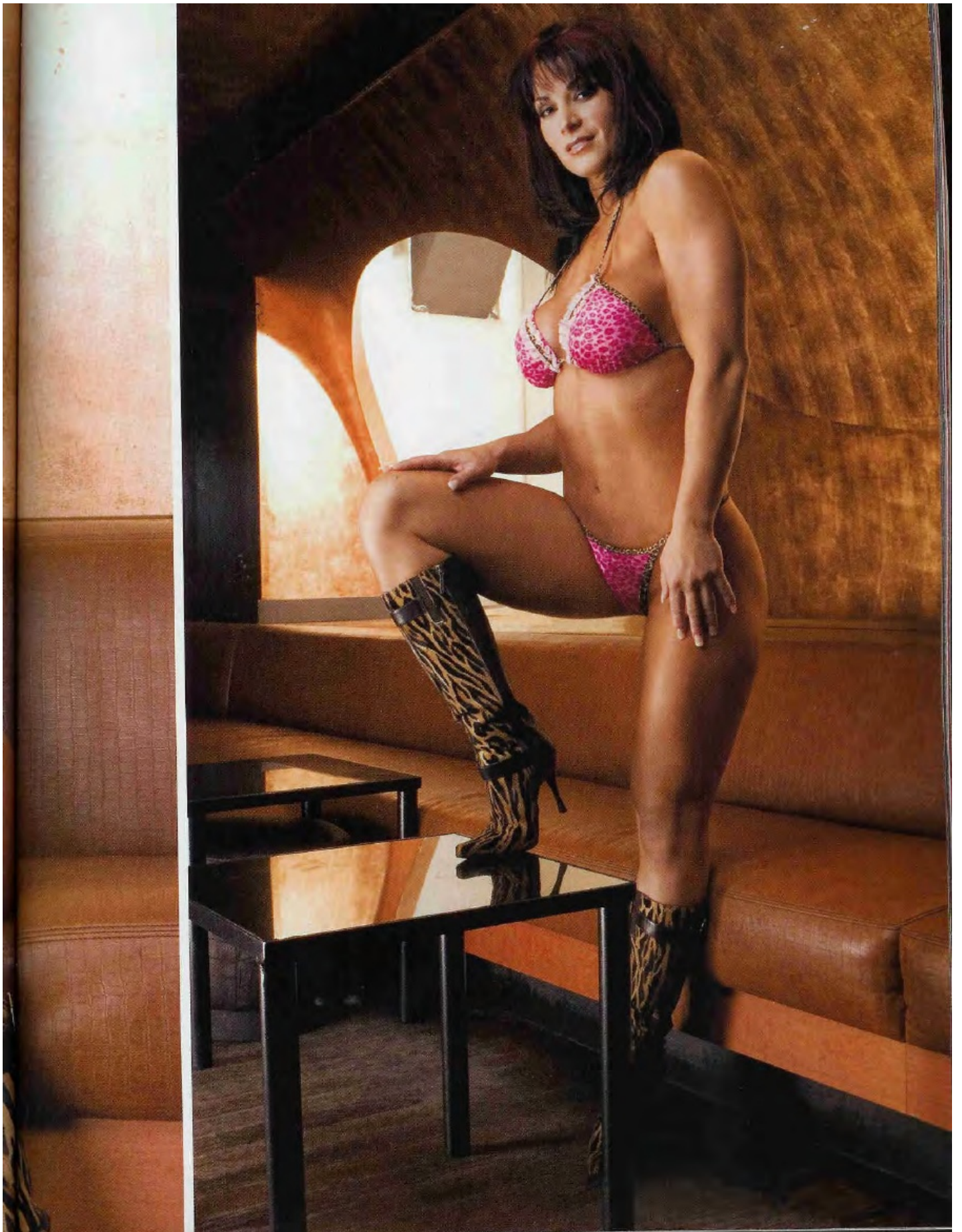
Victoria has it all—stunning good looks, an incredible physique and immeasurable skill inside the ring. A former fitness model, this elegant beauty took WWE by storm in 2002. Shortly after her debut, Victoria captured the Women's Championship at *Survivor Series*, and has been making an impact on WWE ever since.

Victoria's hard-hitting, no-nonsense style in the ring belies a softer, more sensuous side outside of the world of competition. Luckily, we've captured that side for you in these pictures. Relaxing in the trendy New York hotspot Crobar, Victoria is the picture of feminine grace and allure. But don't take our word for it. One look at these photos is all the proof you'll need. So pull up a chair and spend the evening with Victoria.











MARIA

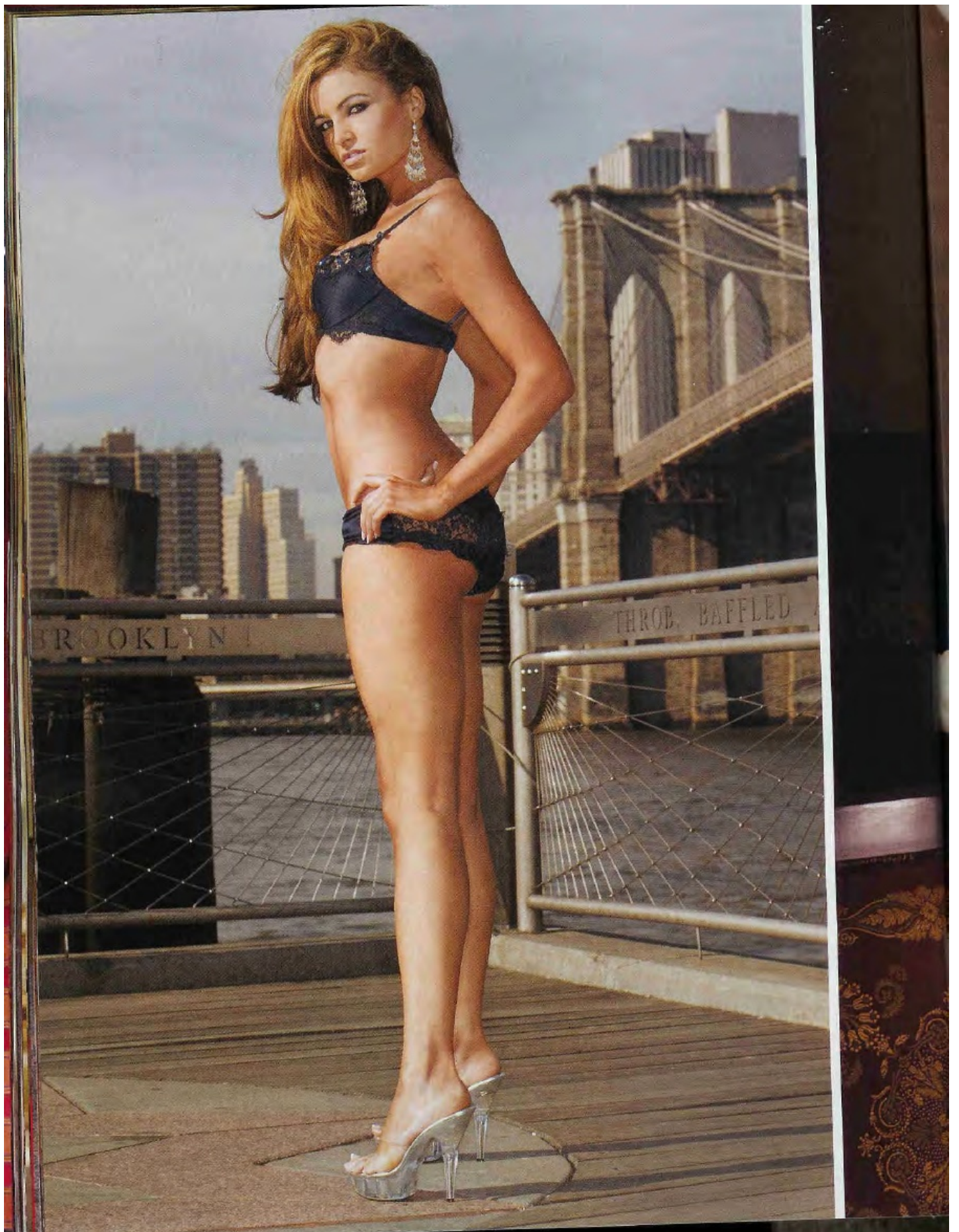
When we took Maria to the Brooklyn Heights Promenade, perhaps New York City's most awe-inspiring vantage point, the idea was to place her in a visually stunning setting. But there can be nothing as visually stunning as Maria herself. After you've seen WWE's architectural marvel, even the Brooklyn Bridge leaves you kind of flat.

As *Raw*'s alluring backstage interviewer, the lovely Maria has made up for whatever she lacks in biting journalistic acuity by simply being the best thing to look at on the whole damn show. Certainly an improvement from the days of "Mean" Gene Okerlund. A real-life Greek goddess, Maria has had no trouble leaving her imprint in the minds of the WWE faithful everywhere, and we think these pictures will only serve to further cement her as the must-see attraction of Monday night television.

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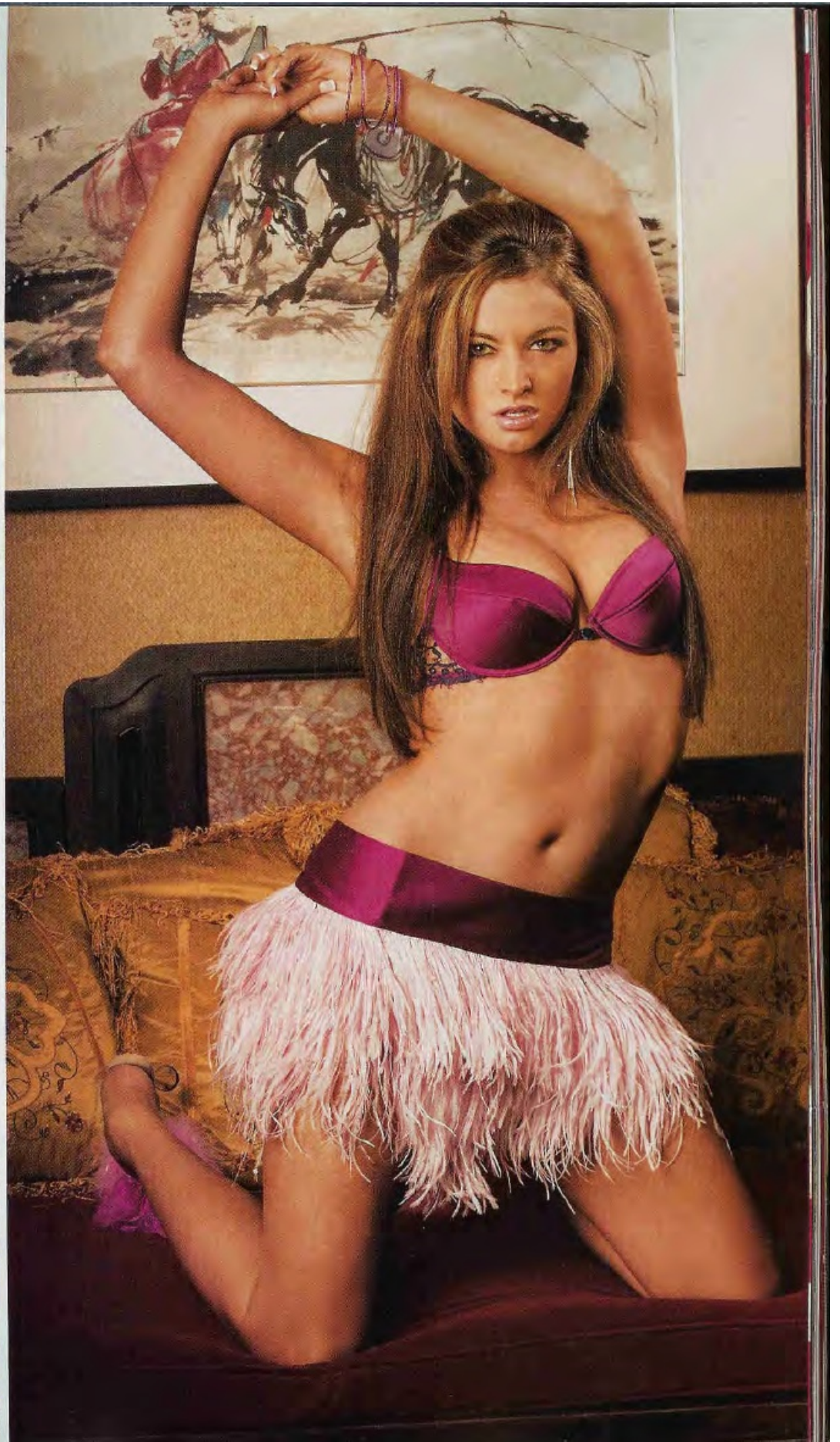




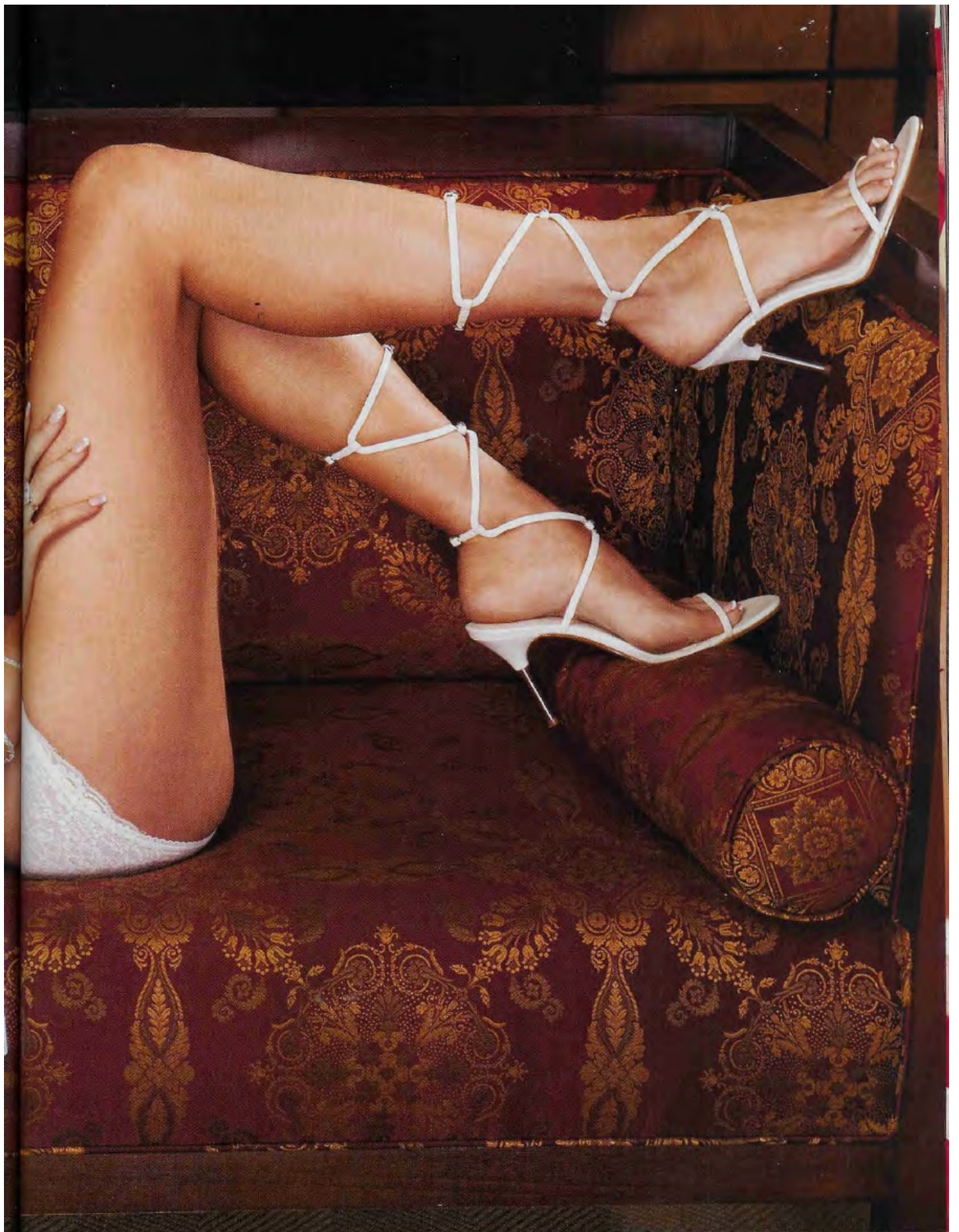
















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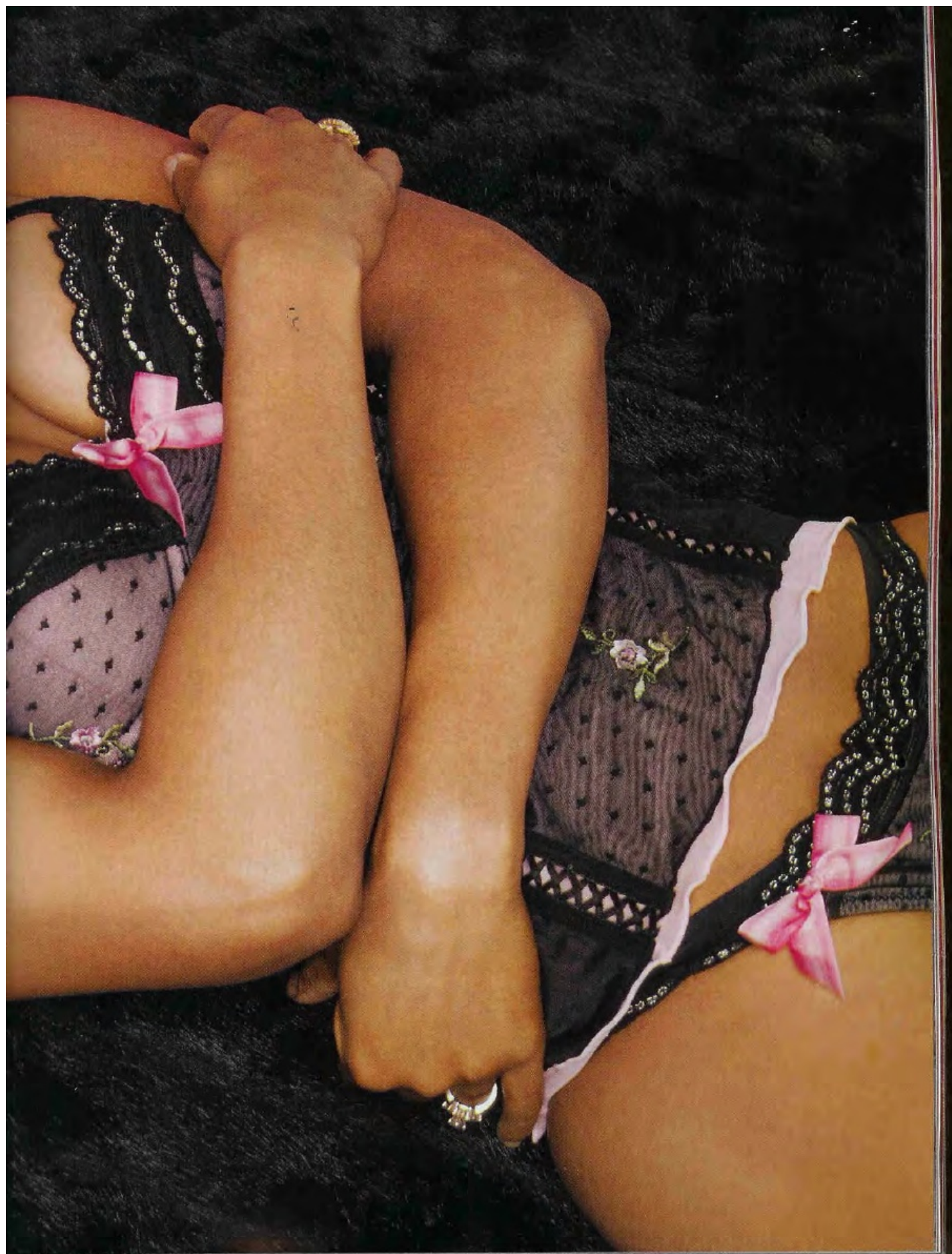
She was named Miss Black America in 1991, but Sharmell has been getting attention her entire career. Once one of WCW's famous *Nitro Girls*, she has gone on to become one of the most influential women in WWE today. At the side of her man Booker T, she is more than just eye candy at ringside—she is a formidable force who will stop at nothing to ensure success for her husband. And she sure looks great doing it.

Love her or hate her, Sharmell gets the job done. She isn't afraid to get her hands dirty, and certainly has no problem making her feelings known. They say that behind every great man there's a great woman, and that proverb might apply to Sharmell except for the fact that she's not likely to be found hiding behind anyone. She's more than capable of talking—and acting—for herself.











LITA

She's the girl your mother warned you about. But what does your mother know? After all, who wouldn't be tempted by Lita? This fiery redhead has been raising temperatures and breaking hearts since she first set foot in WWE back in 2000. Since then, she's nabbed the Women's Title twice and made a name for herself with her high-risk moves and sultry good looks.

Out and about on the streets of the city, Lita hops on the subway to take in the sights. Perhaps you'd like to be her guide as she heads out for a night on the town? We're sure she'd love the company. Just remember, don't get too close to this fiery redhead. You might just get burned.















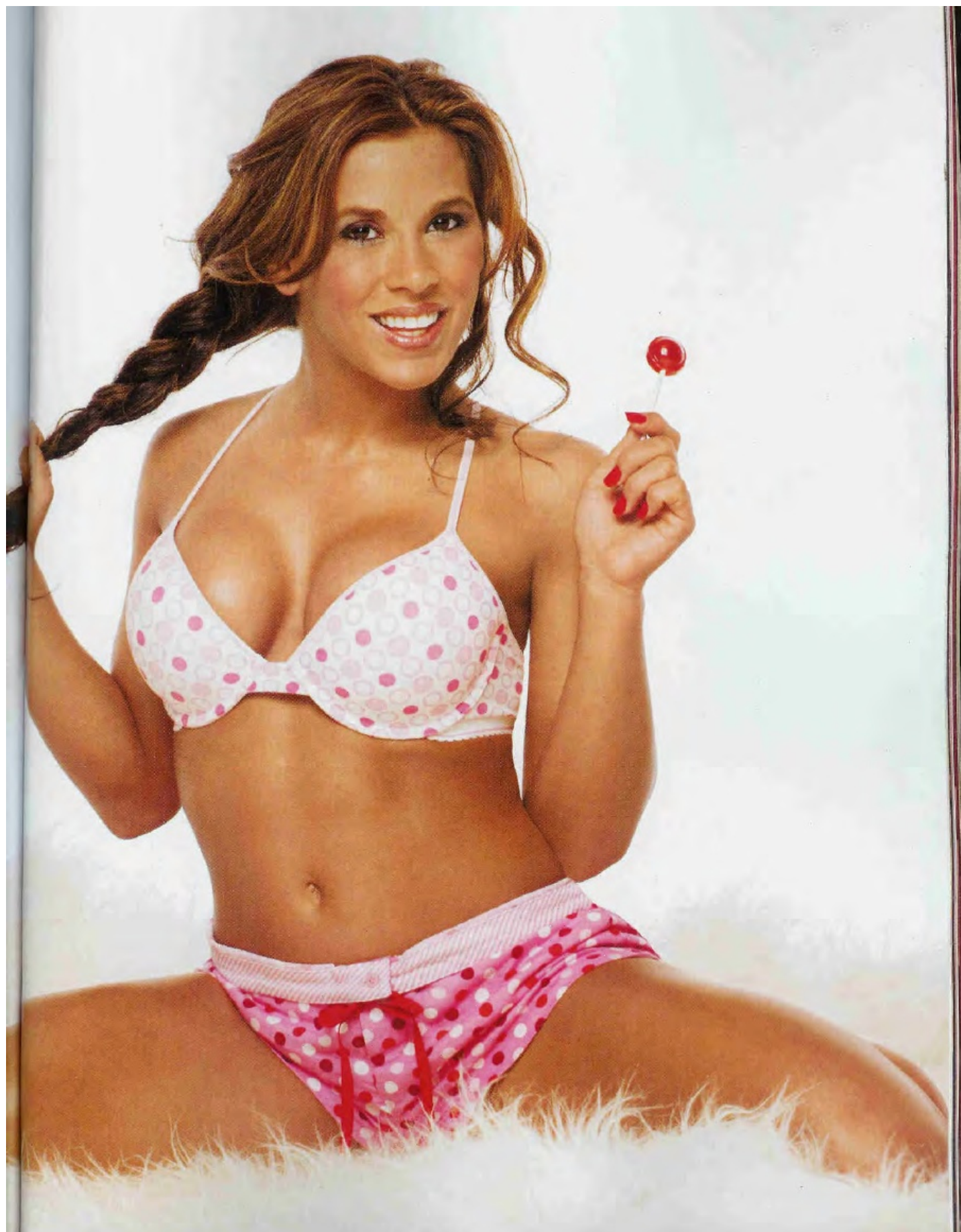
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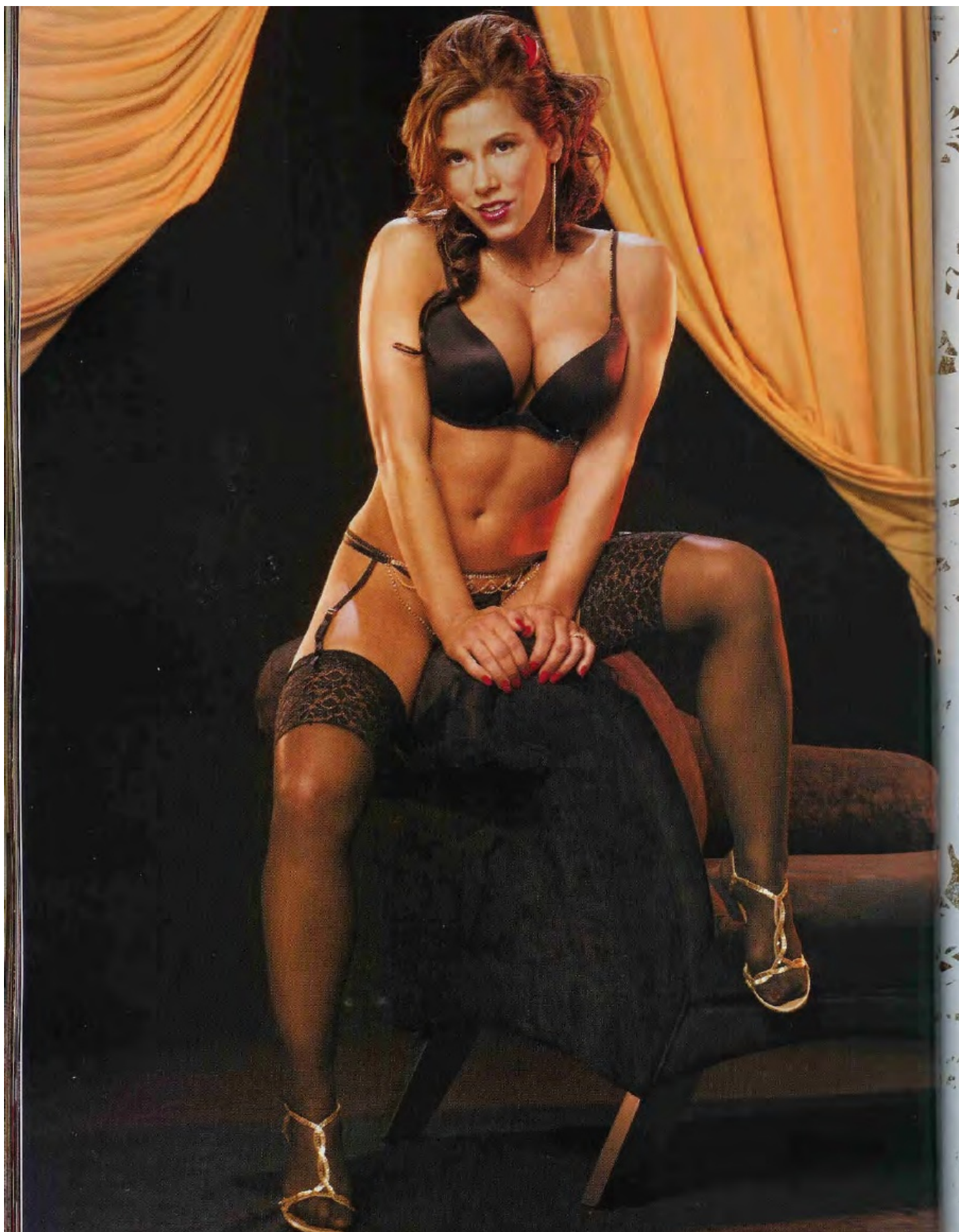
She may have started out as Trish Stratus' overzealous fan, but as you can tell from these photos, Mickie James is done fooling around. She's gone from super-fan to one of the most dominant Divas on *Raw*. In the process, she has proven to be exactly the type of female who can make a serious mark in WWE—one who knows what she wants, and who isn't afraid to do what's necessary to get it.

If there was any doubt of that, then her match against Trish last month at *New Year's Revolution* put those doubts to rest. There's no question she has what it takes to succeed. Mickie James is someone you don't want to fool around with, but we think you'll agree that it would still be worth a try.







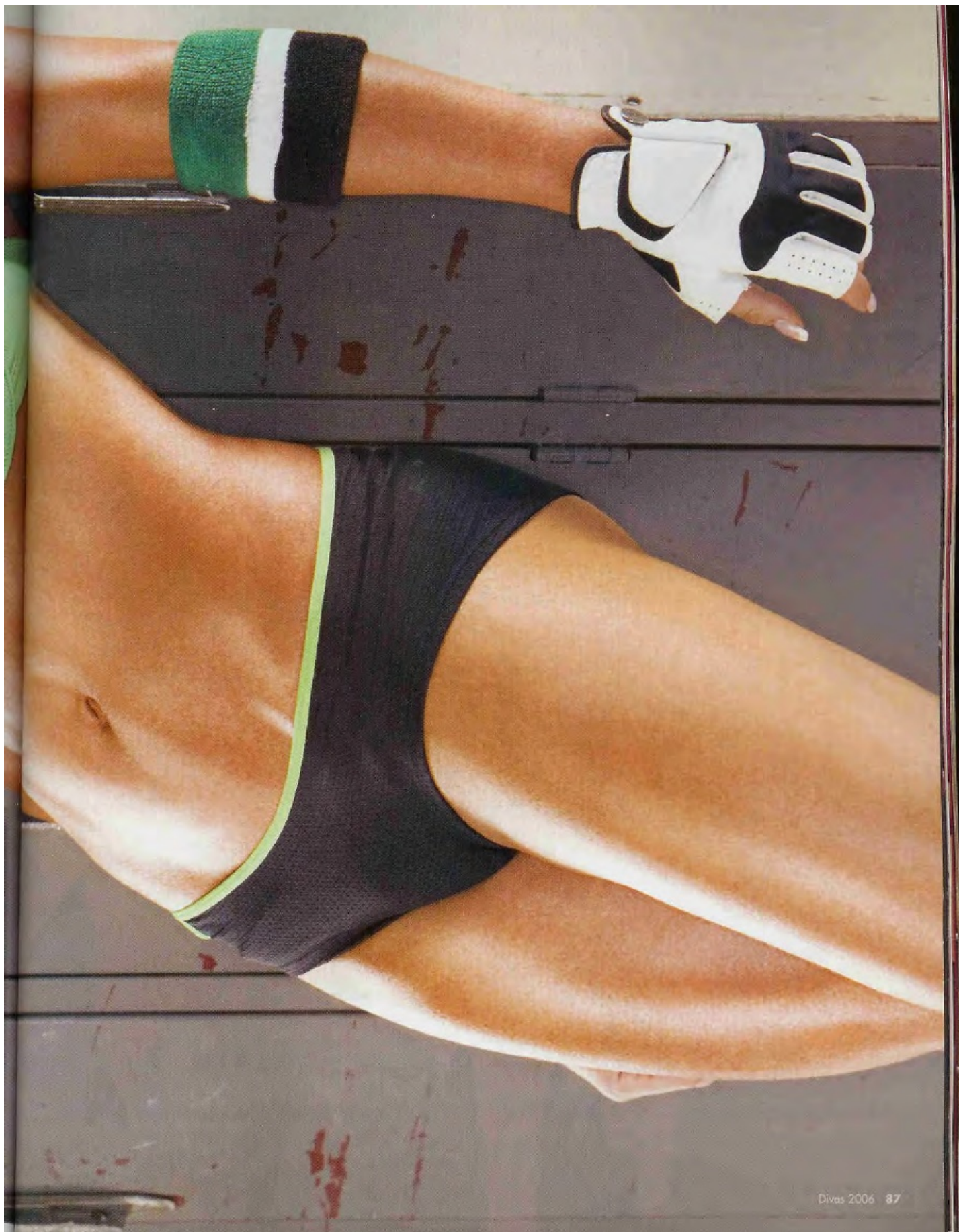


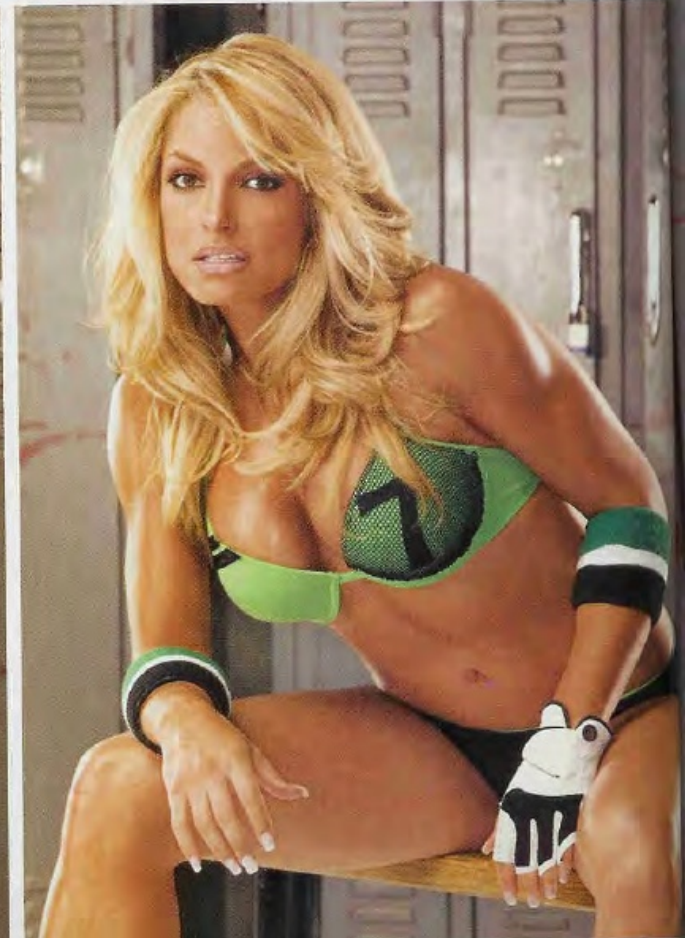
A full-page photograph of Trish Stratus in a locker room. She is leaning against a row of grey metal lockers, looking directly at the camera with a slight smile. She has long, wavy blonde hair and is wearing a bright green sports bra with a black mesh panel on the front. The background shows several lockers, some with small red marks or paint splatters.

TRISH STRATUS

In 2000, Trish Stratus exploded onto the WWE scene as one of the hottest managers/valets fans had ever laid their eyes on. But no one could have ever imagined how ambitious this Canadian Diva really was. Not content to remain just another pretty face at ringside, Trish hit the gym, and hit it hard. Now, after years of dedicating herself to the ring, Trish has emerged as one of the toughest female competitors to ever lace up a pair of thigh-highs.

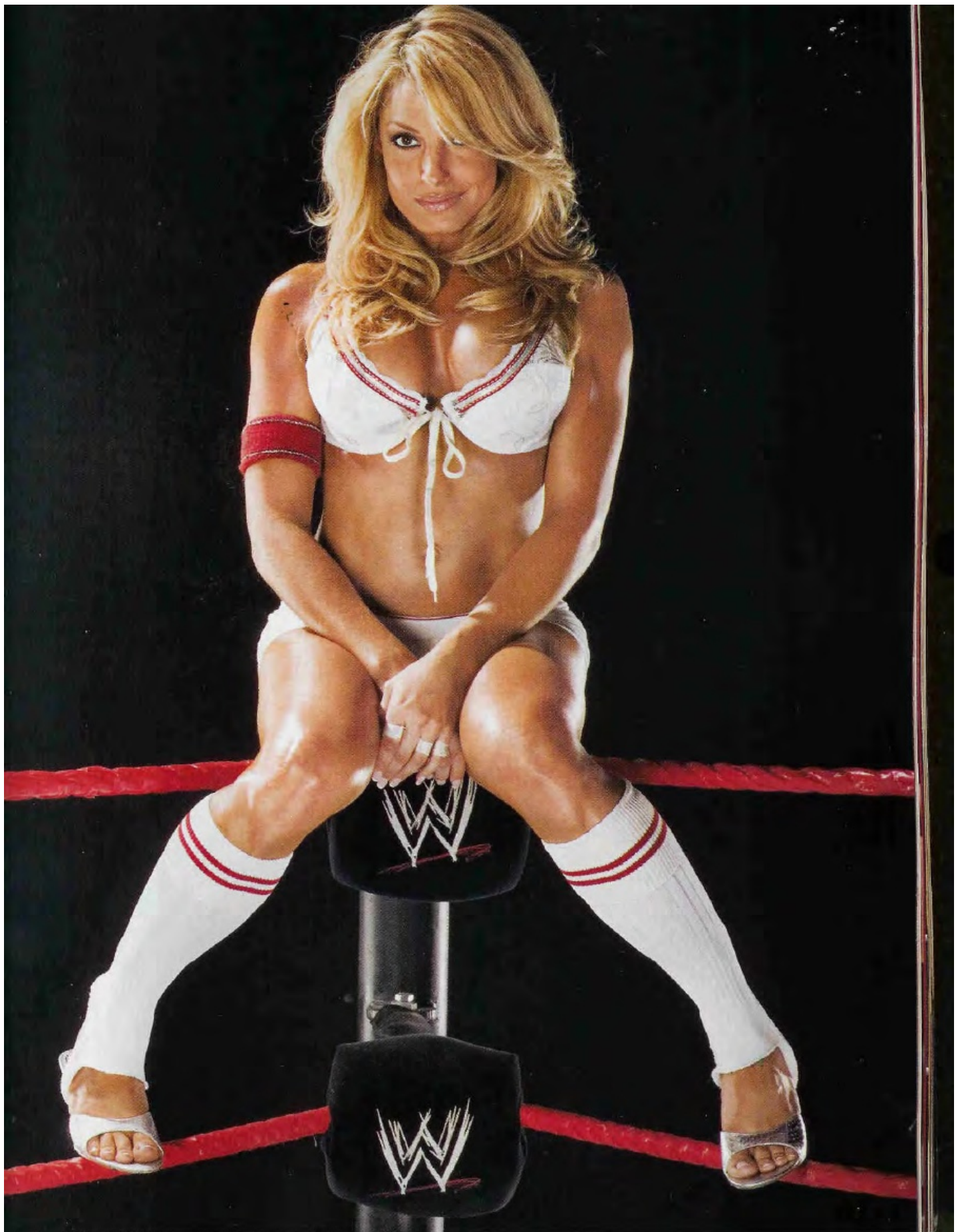
Yet, no matter how much of a gamer she may be once the bell rings, Trish remains one of the most smokin' Divas of all time as well. In fact, her athletic prowess is very much a part of her sex appeal, which is why when it came time to do this year's pictorial, there was only one possible setting—the gym.





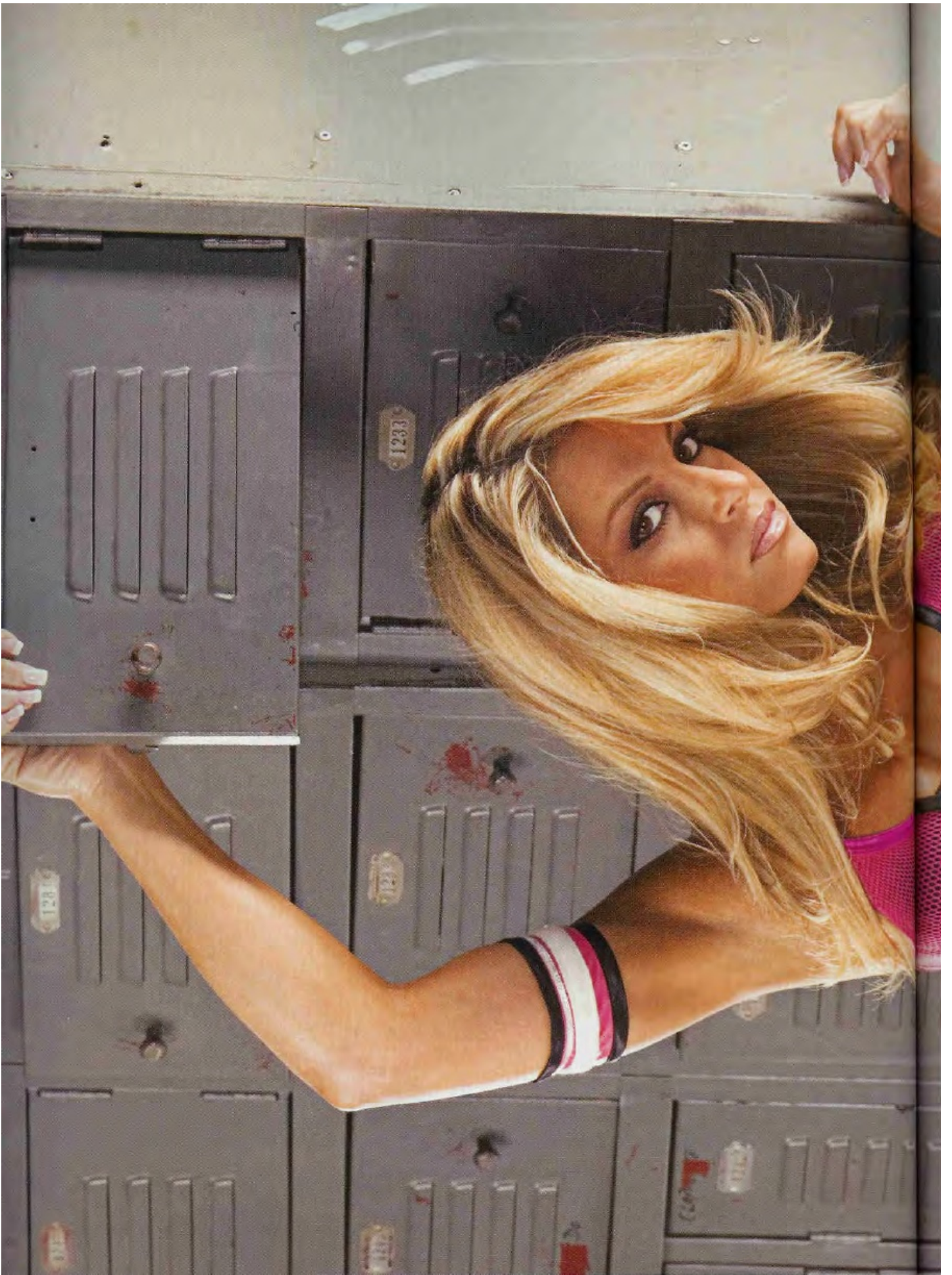


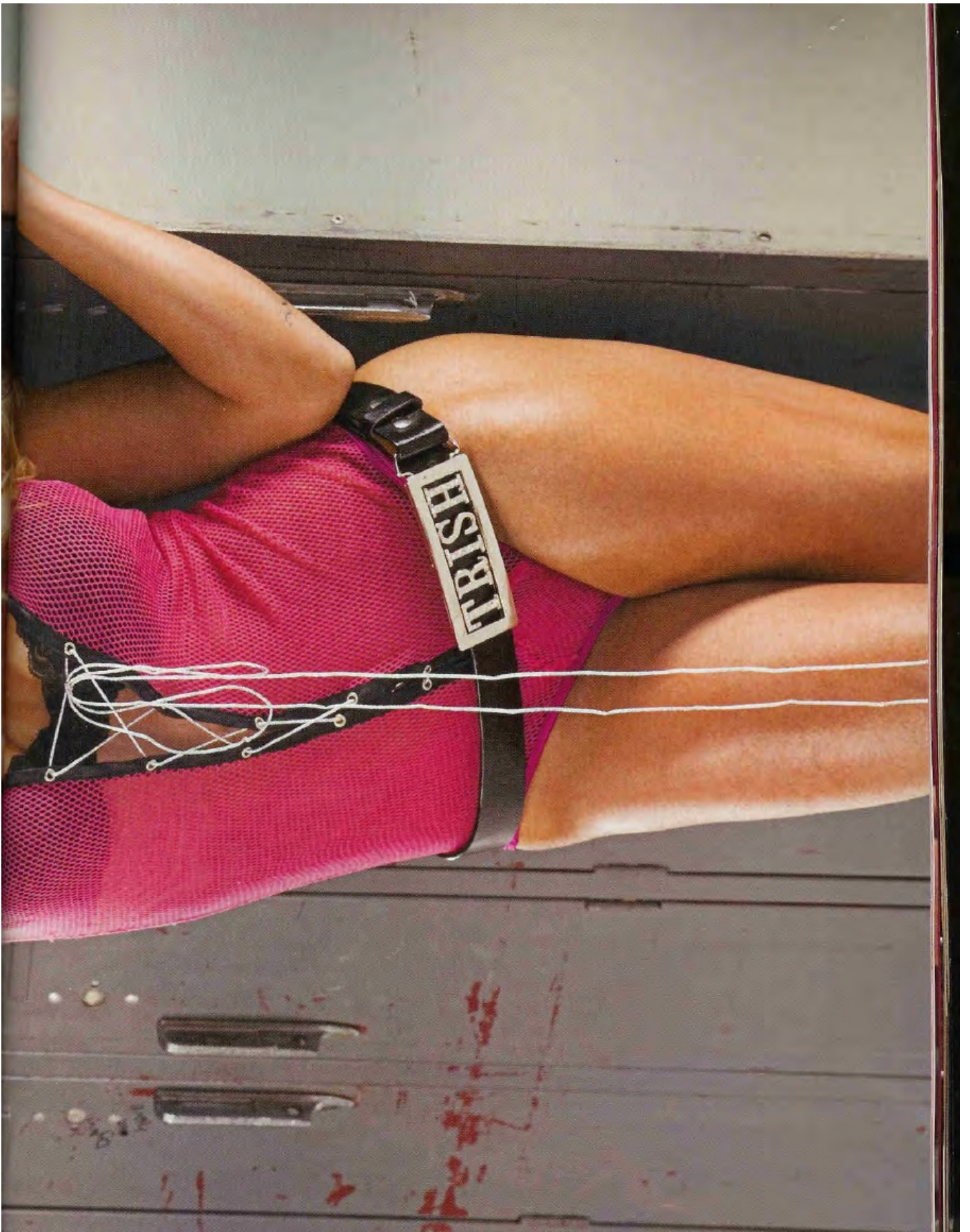














A full-page photograph of Kristal Bowersox lying on her back on a bed with white linens. She is wearing a blue lace-trimmed bikini top and has her arms raised behind her head. She is looking towards the camera with a slight smile. The background is a soft-focus view of the bed and pillows.

KRISTAL

Kristal is the girl that gets everyone talking. As *SmackDown*'s backstage interviewer, she's the one who gets the inside dish on the comings and goings of WWE's Superstars. As a contestant in the 2005 *Raw* Diva Search, Kristal won fans' hearts with her smart, sassy personality and eye-popping good looks. Now that she's a regular on *SmackDown*, they get to enjoy her every week. But we say, why wait until Friday night when you can enjoy Kristal right now?









JILLIAN

They call her "The Fixer," and that's just what she is. A master manipulator, Jillian's the go-to girl when you need a problem solved. With her sharp wit and devastating good looks, Jillian's got everything she needs to get the job done her way. Riding in limos, hobnobbing at parties, brokering power deals, Jillian's a street-savvy lady who knows what she wants and just how to get it. So take the time to get to know Jillian. You know you want to, and so does she...











TORRIE WILSON

If there's one Diva who personifies pure class, it's got to be Torrie Wilson. Only Torrie can combine the classic All-American girl look with that come-hither allure that has made her a perennial favorite. Effortlessly sexy, Torrie has set a standard that all other vixens in sports-entertainment strive to equal. It's a standard so high that even *Playboy* took notice, and made Ms. Wilson the cover of their highest-selling issue of 2004.

Maybe there's just something about blondes. Maybe it's that smile that can light up an arena. Whatever it is, there's no denying that she's got it. In recent months, fans have gotten to see a more aggressive side of her, and she's had the chance to cut loose a little more. So now, in all her glory, and in a setting that most would give their right arm to share with her, we give you the lovely Torrie Wilson...



















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